

CHAPTER 249.

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact with amendments Section 179 of Article 1 of the Code of Public Local Laws, title "Alleghany County," sub-title "Justices of the Peace and Constables," as the same was enacted by Chapter 197 of the Acts of 1902, and to repeal and re-enact with amendments Sections 179A and 179B, as enacted by said Chapter 197 of the Acts of 1902, with the object of providing for the appointment of justices of the peace for Alleghany County, and for fixing the salary of justices of the peace for the districts comprising the City of Cumberland.

Repealing and re-enacting certain sections.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Section 179 of Article 1 of the Code of Public Local Laws, title "Alleghany County," sub-title "Justices of the Peace and Constables," as the same was enacted by Chapter 197 of the Acts of 1902, and Sections 179A and 179B as enacted by Chapter 197 of the Acts of 1902, be and the same are hereby repealed and re-enacted so as to read as follows:

Justices of the peace to receive salaries in lieu of fees.

179. That there shall be appointed by the Governor two justices of the peace for each election district in Alleghany County, except that for Election Districts Nos. 4, 5, 6, 14, 22 and 23, in said county, there shall be appointed six magistrates at large, and none others; during the two years of their respective terms of office, ending in the year 1906, each of said justices in Districts 4, 5, 6, 14, 22 and 23 shall be entitled to receive from Alleghany County the monthly salary of fifty dollars per month, payable monthly, in lieu of all fees now receivable by justices of the peace under the law in criminal cases or in cases where the State of Maryland is a party, and the said justices of the peace shall make a monthly report to the Board of County Commissioners on the first Monday of each month, setting forth an itemized list of all fines and costs imposed by them against offenders, and whether such costs and fines were paid by the offenders or whether the offenders were committed to jail or elsewhere in default of such payment, in order that the Board of County Commissioners may know accurately what fines and costs are payable to said county by the constables in such districts, to whom all such fines and costs shall be paid by the offenders paying the same.

Report to the County Commissioners monthly.

179A. That on and after the expiration of the respective terms of office of the aforesaid six justices of the peace for Dis-